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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED
EXAMINING GROUP 1635
PATENT**

Customer No. 22,852

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Pierre CHARNEAU et al.) Group Art Unit: 1635
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Application No.: 09/685,343) Examiner: Angell, J.E.
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Filed: October 11, 2000)
) Confirmation No.: 4371
For: LENTIVIRAL TRIPLEX DNA, AND)
VECTORS AND RECOMBINANT)
CELLS CONTAINING LENTIVIRAL) **Mail Stop AF**
TRIPLEX DNA)

Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed February 26, 2004, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants propose that this application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper, beginning on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment sections of this paper, beginning on page 10.

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